This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1 (amended). A method of creating a semantic summary of a video comprising the steps of:

    (a)   identifying a domain of said video;

    (b)   using said domain to locate information related to said video at a source other than said video;

    (c)   extracting a datum related to a semantic event from said information; and

    (d)   identifying a portion of said video ~~extracting content related to said semantic event from said video~~ related to said datum.

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2 (original). The method of claim 1 wherein said information is a textual summary of events.

3 (original). The method of claim 1 wherein said information is included in a worldwide web site.

4 (original). The method of claim 1 wherein said information is included in an electronic programming guide.

5 (original). The method of claim 1 wherein said domain is identified from an electronic programming guide.

6 (original). The method of claim 1 further comprising the step of selection of said datum by a user of said summary.

7 (amended). A method of abstracting video comprising the steps of:

(a)   locating an index of said video from a source external to said video;

b)   identifying a domain of said video <u>for creating a video</u> abstraction;

(c)   using said domain <u>together with</u> ~~to identify in~~ said index <u>to identify</u> <u>portions of said</u> video for inclusion in said <u>video</u> abstraction; and

(d)   extracting said identified <u>portions of said</u> video <u>from said video to</u> <u>form said video abstraction</u>.

8 (original). The method of claim 7 wherein said index is included in a worldwide web site.

9 (original). The method of claim 7 wherein said index is included in an electronic programming guide.

10 (original). The method of claim 7 further comprising the step of identification of said domain by a user of said abstraction.

11 (amended). A method of creating a semantic summary of a video comprising the steps of:

(a)   identifying a domain of said video;

(b)   using said domain to locate a textual summary of said video;

(c)   extracting a datum related to a semantic event relevant to said video summary from said textual summary;

(d)   locating content in said video corresponding to said datum; and

(e)   extracting said content related to said semantic event <u>from said</u> <u>video</u> corresponding to said datum ~~from said video~~ for inclusion in ~~said~~ <u>a semantic</u> summary <u>including at least one portion of said</u> <u>video</u>.

12 (amended). A method of abstracting video comprising the steps of:

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(a)   locating an index of said video in at least one of a worldwide web site and a programming guide;

(b)   identification of a domain of said video <u>for creating a video</u> abstraction by a user ~~of said abstraction~~;

(c)   using said domain <u>together with</u> ~~to select in~~ said index ~~video~~ <u>to identify portions of said video</u> for inclusion in said <u>video</u> abstraction; and

(d)   extracting said identified <u>portions of said</u> video <u>from said video to form said video extraction</u>.

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